

WHEREAS, In 1963 the United States Jaycees began searching for an effective instructional program to teach youngsters basic safe gun handling and good marksmanship; and,

WHEREAS, In the spring of 1963, the United States Jaycees and the Daisy Company, the world's oldest and largest manufacturer of non-powder guns and ammunition, joined forces to create shooting education; and,

WHEREAS, In 1963 and 1964, the first year of the program, seventy-five chapters across the nation conducted the course; and,

WHEREAS, During the following years, 1964 and 1965, the number of participating chapters had grown to 315; and,

WHEREAS, As a climax to the second year, State BB Gun Championships were conducted in many of the participating States and the program was also adopted by the Canadian Jaycees; and,

WHEREAS, Due to the tremendous growth of the program, the United States Jaycees, and Daisy, embarked on a plan for a grand finale to the 1965 and 1966 program year; and,

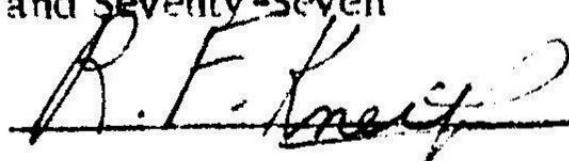
WHEREAS, In 1965 and 1966 the United States and Canadian BB Gun Championship teams were invited to participate in the Jaycee International BB Gun Championship; and,

WHEREAS, The Sioux Falls Jaycees and Augustana College are hosting the Twelfth International BB Gun Championships on July 8, 9, and 10, 1977:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of July 4-11, 1977, as

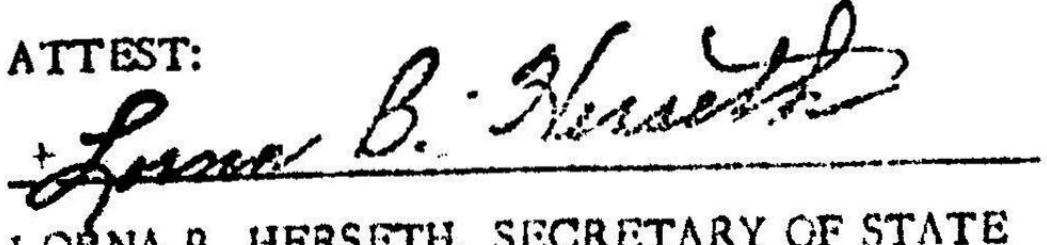
#### SOUTH DAKOTA SHOOTING EDUCATION WEEK

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 1st day of July, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Seven



RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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